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## BOY HERO'S FUNERAL IS HELD; HONOR DONE LAD AT MONESSEN

Obsequies For Thomas Hughes Made Impressive Because of His Heroism

### HAD RECORD IN LIFE SAVING

Though But 15 Years Old, Lad Had Qualified for Carnegie Hero Medal By Pulling Two Companions From The River.

Sad to the extreme and impressive were the obsequies held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock over the body of fifteen-year old Thomas Hughes, at Monessen, the boy hero who died last Monday morning while saving Vernon Albrecht from drowning. The body of the lad was recovered late Monday afternoon from the river.

Rev. J. B. Swann, pastor of the Monessen Christian church was in charge of the funeral services. He was in charge of brief obsequies at the home and then the body was taken to the Christian church where further services were held. The church was crowded and due honor was paid to the memory of the heroic lad.

Though but 15 years old, young Hughes had twice qualified for a Carnegie Hero medal before going to his death in a third attempt to save a life. Two years ago he saved the life of a companion in the Shenango river at Sharon. Last year he went to the rescue of a Monessen lad just as that lad was sinking the third time and towed him safely to shore.

The body of the lad Monday was recovered by Councilman Gus Kruehl with the aid of grappling hooks. It is supposed his drowning was caused by cramps. The boy was an exceptionally strong swimmer and was only about 30 feet from shore when drowned.

### "DIAMOND FROM THE SKY"

LEADING MAJESTIC PICTURE

"The Diamond From the Sky," a serial picture being produced at the Majestic theatre will be the chief attraction at that house this evening. The fourth chapter of the film will be shown, entitled "The Prodigal's Progress." In this chapter the "diamond from the sky" is pawned and in later developments disappears.

### MURAD SIESTA BUILDS ALHAMBRA TUESDAY NIGHT

The Murad Siesta, Prince of Bagdad of Fayette City, built their Alhambra in conferring a degree, the 77th, at the Bank of Charleroi hall Tuesday evening. A class of 146 candidates of "vile scum" were initiated and made "real princes." Credit is due the Fayette Citizens for the way in which they performed their work.

### GREAT EUROPEAN WAR PICTURE AT LYRIC

Saturday the attraction at the Lyric theatre will be a picturization of the Great European War. The picture is said to contain over 3,000 authentic battle scenes, scenes of troops, artillery and air ships in action.

### ALPHA PHI BETA FRATERNITY DANCE IS PLEASING EVENT

Attractive Summer Affair Held at Eldora Park Wednesday Evening By Local Fraternity

With about 75 couples present from numerous places along the Monongahela valley and inter-county points one of the most attractive summer dances ever given by the Alpha Phi Beta fraternity of Charleroi was held at Eldora park Wednesday evening. Well arranged and carried out, the affair was one that will stand out as one of the season's neatest events at the park.

Decorative effects at the park pavilion were simple. Dancing hours were from early evening until after 1 with the park orchestra furnishing music. A number of new dances were featured, much to the enjoyment of the guests.

Special cars were provided for guests after the dance to Charleroi and Monongahela, with connections made for other points. The fraternity composing a committee of the whole had charge of the event.

## GREENE COUNTY IN LIMELIGHT

Commissioners Start Investigation Into Money Affairs by Pointed Requests

### TELL SOLICITOR WHAT TO DO

At the regular meeting this week the county commissioners of Greene county took two actions that will among the taxpayers and the politicians of the county.

In the first action they passed a resolution that authorized the clerk of commissioners to demand H. C. Stagers, the former county solicitor, to turn over to the county all money in his hands belonging to Greene county, together with all papers belonging to the county within five days or legal action would be taken.

In the second action the commissioners instructed the clerk to notify E. N. Freeland, of East Waynesburg, who has money on interest belonging to the county, that the county commissioners on Friday, June 18, between 1 and 2 o'clock will require the amount of money on interest and will fix the amount and assess the same to him. Also, the clerk was notified to request the presence of George Miller, the present assessor, at the meeting.

### PURE WATER SPRINGS

On Wilson Heights there are numerous springs of pure, sparkling water, which never fail to furnish an abundant supply. Home-seekers should remember this important fact when attending the auction lot sale at Wilson Heights, all day next Saturday. Take trolley to Bridge 2 stop.

## GIRLS BEING NAMED FOR SALE OF FLOWERS

Movement For Benefit on Saturday Afternoon Now Under Way and Local Committees Are Getting Busy--Names Now Coming In

Girls who will sell flowers on the street Saturday as a benefit for the Belgian relief fund are being secured today and when the time comes Saturday morning for the sale to begin it is predicted a large number will be on hand. Tomorrow, arrangements will be made if possible to publish the names of all the girls who volunteer their services. The first one to head the list is Miss Ruth Clerihue a high school girl.

Joseph Haube the florist who has donated the peonies for the sale Saturday has already cut a large number of the flowers, and probably on Saturday morning the police patrol will be put to a new use, that of hauling flowers. A vacant room will be secured if possible to use as headquarters, and some one will be placed in charge. Boxes will be carried by girls and into the boxes will be dropped coins by purchasers of the flowers.

## SPECIAL EVENTS ARE LISTED FOR THE WEEK

Program Includes Variety of Special And Regular Features Leading Up to What Will be Big Demonstration on Fourth.

Special events combined with the regularly booked weekly attractions will feature the Eldora park program within the next two weeks, leading up to what will be made one of the best attractions ever held at the park on the Fourth of July.

Next week will begin with the regular Monday night dance to be held by Mrs. J. Jenkins of Monongahela. These dances are proving popular events. On Tuesday Mrs. N. Greenberg will head a party of people from Charleroi and other points to visit at the park.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Monessen lodge of Elks have issued invitations for a dance to be held on Thursday evening. This will be an interesting social event, the committee headed by Mrs. Grace Daniels having made active preparations for it. Friday night John A. Weber of Finleyville will give his regular Friday night dance.

The following week two events have been looked of interest. One of them will be that of the annual outing on Thursday of St. Jerome's Catholic church. Elaborate preparations are being made for this picnic.

### GOOD TROLLEY CONNECTIONS.

Wilson Heights plan of lots is right at Bridge 2 stop on the trolley, with direct trolley service to Pittsburgh, Monessen, Belle Vernon and all points in the valley. Also, gas, electric and telephone lines, improved state highway, etc. Pure water springs clear and healthful atmosphere and wonderful view of the valley. Auction lot sale all day next Saturday.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY HELD IN HONOR OF CARL HOUGH

Mrs. Frank D. Chew of 205 Look-out avenue gave a surprise party in honor of the tenth birthday of her brother, Cecil Hough. Thirty were present. The lad received many beautiful presents. The evening was spent in games.

## REGULAR MEETING HELD BY THE WELFARE CIRCLE

Interesting Program Carried Out At High School Auditorium--Talks Given on Variety of Topics by Various Members.

The regular meeting of the Child Welfare Circle was held Wednesday afternoon in the High school auditorium. The president, Mrs. W. B. Pfeighardt being absent, the meeting was presided over by Mrs. H. Hannan, vice president.

Many papers relative to the welfare of the children were read and discussed. Among them were "Child Study," Mrs. Ella Hannan, "Sympathetic Parenthood," Mrs. McKean, "General Information for Parents," Mrs. T. E. Price, "What Constitutes a Good Father," by Mrs. J. K. Rickey, "What Constitutes a Good Mother," Mrs. O. L. Riggs.

Miss S. Habana, teacher of the Charleroi Home Garden movement, was present at the meeting and gave an excellent talk on the progress of her work. Plans were announced that were under way for the holding of a celebration on July 4 for the benefit of the local playgrounds. Before adjournment it was decided to hold the next meeting on Wednesday, June 23.

### JAPANESE TRIO AND VIOLINIST AT PALACE

The vaudeville program at the Palace theatre this week is exceptionally good. The Aki Japanese trio, featuring the greatest Japanese child actress have an entertaining act of singing, dancing and talking. Probably one of the most appreciated parts of the program will be Sasha Gordein a Russian violinist. Miss Gordein is said to be an artist in her line, having been called a second Nazimova. The concluding act will be a comedy number by King and Cole a team of black face comedians. In addition to the vaudeville program special motion pictures will be shown.

### FINE HOME SITE FREE

A free lot and gold watches will be given away at the Wilson Heights auction lot, sale all day next Saturday. Brass band concerts. Take trolley to Bridge 2 stop.

## SCHOOL BOARD SELLS \$25,000 BOND ISSUE TO THE MELLONS

CLAIMS HE WAS HURLED BOOPLY FROM CAR BY THE CONDUCTOR

Squire Archie Sloan of Finleyville, Asserts Conductor Used Him Roughly.

Squire Archie Sloan of Finleyville, an aged veteran of the Civil war, has made a charge of assault and battery against Stanley Gabish a Pittsburgh Railway company conductor, before Alderman J. B. McAllister, of Monongahela. The information was made several days ago and Tuesday Constable Robert Tidball arrested the defendant in Charleroi.

Squire Sloan alleges that he was thrown from a car of the Pittsburgh Railway company by Gabish at Mingo on April 22 sustaining injuries that have caused him much trouble and expense. The trouble grew out of an argument between the conductor and Mr. Sloan. A hearing will be held before Alderman McAllister on Friday morning between 10 and 11 o'clock.

## ARRANGE RITES OF INSTALLATION

First Presbyterian Program For Friday Night Prepared

### REV. ALEXANDER TO SPEAK

Somewhat elaborate preparations are being made for the installation tomorrow night of Rev. A. J. Whipple, the newly elected pastor of the First Presbyterian church. The event will be made notably by the presence as participants of some of the most noted eastern dignitaries of the Presbyterian denomination in the United States. Chief of these will be Rev. Maitland Alexander D. D. L. D. of Pittsburgh who is known the country over and is considered one of the denominations strongest men.

Various ministers are to have a part in the exercises, including Rev. J. E. Charles, P. D., pastor of the French Presbyterian church will make the installation prayer and Rev. John R. Burson, pastor of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church, who will deliver the charge to the congregation.

No subject has been announced for Rev. Alexander's talk. The charge to the pastor will be given by Rev. W. L. McEwan, D. D. of Pittsburgh. In the early part of the service, Rev. W. F. McKee of Monongahela, will ask the invocation and, Rev. Perrin Baker, D. D. of Belle Vernon will have the scripture reading.

A good musical program will be carried out by the choir. Mrs. I. T. Daniel will be the soloist.

J. D. Williams, of Pittsburgh, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Cook.

Money, Which is Available, Will be Used For Building Additions

### FOUR FIRMS BID ON ISSUE

Pittsburg Concern Offers Best Premium--Additions to Consist of Two New Wings to the High School Building.

Wednesday evening the finance committees of the Charleroi school board held a special meeting in the Bank of Charleroi's auditorium for the purpose of receiving and opening bids on a \$25,000 bond issue soon to be materialized by the local school board. H. J. Booth, vice president of the board presided. The other members present were T. R. Eagye, R. C. Mountser and T. M. Faddis.

Representatives of four banking concerns bid on the bonds as follows:

Mellon National Bank, Pittsburg	\$475.00
Lyon & Singer, New York	\$475.00
Harris, Forbes & Co., New York	\$395.75
Holmes, Wardrop & Co., Pittsburg	\$365.00

The contract for furnishing the bonds was awarded to the Mellon National bank of Pittsburgh at a premium of \$475.83, their bid. They are 4 1-2 per cent bonds and mature as follows: \$8,000 in 1919, \$8,000 in 1921 and \$9,000 in 1923.

The issuance of the bonds is for the purpose of building an addition to the Charleroi high school building. The addition will consist of six rooms inclusive of the two basement rooms. Work will start on the addition as everything can be arranged. Notice that bids will be received for the contract of buildings the additions have been published and at a meeting on June 22 the board will open the bids and award the work. The added rooms will also be equipped from the proceeds of the bond issue.

### HOMES OUT IN THE OPEN

Wilson Heights is just the place for homes out in the open where you can have gardens and fruits and flowers and chickens, etc. Ideal home-site, healthful location, small farms close to town. Right at Bridge 2 stop on the trolley. The auction sale of these splendid lots takes place next Saturday, all day.

### Weekly Euchre.

The weekly euchre held every Wednesday evening in the St. Jerome's Lyceum is attracting much attention and good crowds are in attendance. Despite the hot weather the Lyceum is cool and an excellent place for recreation.

## MAJESTIC THEATRE

### TODAY

Fourth Chapter, "The Diamond From the Sky."  
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## CHARLEROI'S CHANCE

On Saturday Charleroi will have an opportunity of making extensively with little expense to individuals a humanitarian work. This is in the creation of a fund for relief of starving millions in Belgium, and locally the plan is for the sale of flowers, as a benefit.

The local movement is part of an enthusiastic one that is sweeping Western Pennsylvania. One or more shiploads of flour are to be sent by this part of the Keystone state to starving Belgians to save life.

It has been estimated that ten cents a week will keep a Belgian baby from starving for five months. Two dollars properly spent will save a life. That is the approximate sum being asked from Western Pennsylvanians, and a strict accounting will be made to those who handle the fund to prove that the necessities were provided. One-fourth of the total amount has been subscribed.

People are starving in the little war-ridden country across the seas. They are starving, and only America a neutral nation can save them. Germany, in the role of conqueror cannot because it has too much else to attend to and England and France distinctly are neither in position to look after this humanitarian work. A human life is just as valuable in Belgium as it is in America. It is just as important that a sandwich be thrown a starving babe or mother as it was that a life belt be thrown a drowning woman or child in the late Titanic disaster.

It won't take much for each individual to help a little in the relief of Belgium. A little collected Saturday will go a long way. Charleroi has promised 750 sacks of flour, or its equivalent in money. All can help by contributing.

## UNSCIENTIFIC PENSIONS

The Carnegie Foundation, after an examination of the various municipal pension funds in New York City for police, firemen, teachers, etc., reports them in a fearful jumble due to the unscientific planning and management, says the Pittsburg Dispatch. In some cases the funds are threatened with extinction by the drains upon them and the most drastic reorganization will be necessary to safeguard the interests of those for whom the pension systems were devised.

There has been, the report says, "an utter disregard of the simplest mathematical principles, uncertain sources of income, contributions inadequately proportioned to benefits promised and methods of administration devoid of any conception of the mathematical consideration involved." There has been practically no actual knowledge in the planning of the systems. Facing bankruptcy, there will either have to be larger assessments or smaller benefits, unless the city can come to the rescue by passing the burden along to the taxpayers.

This revelation regarding municipal and public pension funds in New York should lead other cities to investigation of their pension systems, to see whether they have avoided the pitfalls into which New York has strayed and if not to provide means of escape from a like fate.

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The Charleroi Mail picked up in passing Kirk Richardson dies at home in California. Well known newspaper man succumbs to illness of long duration. Had been employed on various publications, including Charleroi Mirror.

All the children were asked to bring to the grammar class a short original composition about some article they saw in daily life, and this is what one little boy wrote:

"The needle is a sewing tool. It is composed of two parts, the point and the eye. The eye is made of iron and is what you stick through the cloth. The point is made of steel and is what you stick through the cloth."

## Electric Sparks

Where there's a will there's a way, but some people have neither.

"Are you still on the outs with Reggie?" "No, again."

It only seems natural that as soon as Jess Willard achieved the championship, he should express a desire to visit Charleroi.

Death might be a beautiful adventure but even the most adventurous don't seem inclined to seek it.

The "Sister Susie" Club Queenie's quilting quilts for quiet Quakers. Rilla's rolling "ropes" for reeking rot.

Sarah slices sausages for Switzers. Tillie's teaching Turks the Turkey Trot.

Irma's into ironing for the Injuns, Jessie's jerking jibbooms for the Japs.

Karina's kneading kuchen for Kanakas. Laura's learned to launder for the Lapps.

Una's used your ulster for the Ulsters. Vera's voice vibrates for Villa vim.

While winsome Winnie weaves for Winnebaggos. Xantippe's gone to Exenia—what a sin.

## INGLAND-GILLETT NUPTIALS

PERFORMED BY REV. BURSON;  
COUPLE TAKING SHORT TRIP

Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of John F. Bowman on Fifth street, occurred the marriage of Clarence Ingland, of Stockdale and Miss Bertha Gillett of Charleroi. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John R. Burson, pastor of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church. The wedding march was played by Miss Bethel Bowman and the attendants were Orwin Mencer of Stockdale and Miss Mary King of Roscoe. Mr. Ingland is a foreman in the Macbeth-Evans Glass company's plant here. Mrs. Ingland is well and favorably known here. They left Wednesday evening on a short wedding tour and upon their return they will make their home in Charleroi.

## Auditor's Notice.

Estate of Sarah Abrams, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Washington County, Pennsylvania, at No. 22 May term, 1915, A. A. to ascertain claims and e claimants, pass upon the same and to make distribution to and among those entitled thereto according to law, will meet for the purposes of his appointment at the office of Hugh E. Fergus, Esq., No. 511 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa., at 10:00 o'clock, a. m., Friday, July 2nd, 1915, when and where all persons interested may attend.

David M. McCloskey,  
Auditor.  
J-10-17-21

**Read The Mail**

# KIRK RICHARDSON DIES PERSONALS

## AT HOME IN CALIFORNIA

Well known newspaper man succumbs to illness of long duration. Had been employed on various publications, including Charleroi Mirror.

Kirk Richardson, a well-known newspaper man, whose home is at California died Wednesday at 5:30 a. m. at his home at that place after a lingering illness. He had been in poor health for many months.

Mr. Richardson was born at Bentleyville this county on December 26, 1874, and was a son of William Mortimer and Ella Newkirk Richardson. His father is deceased but his mother still lives at California. On both his father and mother's side he was descended from old and prominent families of the county. The father whose death occurred in 1905 was widely known as a hotel man. He was in business at Bentleyville from 1875 for several years and at Coal Centre from 1895 until 1896. From Coal Centre he went to California and operated the Arlington hotel for several years.

Richardson attended the California schools and spent one year in California Normal. He took up newspaper work when young and had been very successful in the profession. He was well read and a good writer. He was graduated from Mount Union college at Alliance, O., in 1893. After his graduation from college he worked on various newspapers. He was formerly connected with the Washington Reporter later also with the Observer and with the Charleroi Mirror. He did work for Pittsburg papers and was up to within a few months employed on Cleveland, O., papers. He is a first cousin of Newton Newkirk a Washington county man, prominent in Boston newspaper circles and known as editor of the Bingville Bugle a comic section.

Mr. Richardson was active in the affairs of his home town. He was burgess from 1900 to 1903. At California he was also engaged in the insurance and real estate business. Mr. Richardson also served as borough clerk of California. In politics he was a Republican. At the time of the Louisiana Purchase exposition he was connected with the Pennsylvania State exhibit. Mr. Richardson is survived by his mother and his wife and one daughter Harriet Eleanor. Mrs. Richardson is a teacher in the model school at the California State Normal school which has been dismissed until after the funeral of Mr. Richardson. The funeral services will be held at the Richardson home in California Friday at 1:30 p. m. Interment in Beallsville cemetery.

## ADDITION TO WAR'S HORRORS

American Claims to Have Invented a Shell Capable of Scattering Molten Steel.

A new type of projectile which would scatter a white-hot mixture of molten steel over the object of attack and at the same time permeate the atmosphere with a deadly gas, which would make it impossible for fire fighters to approach, has been invented by John Hays Hammond, Jr., according to a statement made by him. This new missile, he says, may soon appear in the European war.

The missile is designed for use in siege guns, as an aid in destroying towns and destroyable balloons. Mr. Hammond explained that the projectile carried an aluminothermic mixture which five seconds after the projectile was discharged, would turn the steel inside to a white-hot mixture at a temperature of 3,400 degrees Fahrenheit. When the projectile hits the target, the inventor said, it explodes, its white-hot contents setting fire to whatever inflammable material it strikes. To avoid the possibility of quenching the flames, Mr. Hammond said he had equipped the projectile with a chamber filled with hydrocyanic acid, the fumes of which are deadly.

The inventor is a son of the famous engineer, John Hays Hammond. He invented wireless control of submarine torpedoes.

## Army Nurse's Bravery.

Mlle. Korkeeran, a Russian Sister of Mercy, has been decorated by the Russian government for bravery. She was working in a Russian field hospital in the neighborhood of Soldau, East Prussia. When the Germans attacked the position of the Russian troops Nurse Korkeeran remained all alone in the hospital tending the wounds of private soldiers and officers. Although the hospital was already in the center of the sphere of the enemy's fire, Mlle. Korkeeran boldly came outside, procured a number of horses, harnessed them, found several vehicles, and, with the aid of the slightly wounded men, lifted the patients into the vehicles and drove them away to a place of safety.

Mrs. J. E. Masters and Miss M. Masters of Coal Centre were visitors in Charleroi Wednesday evening.

George S. Walters and H. Abrams of the Western Union Telegraph company at Pittsburg visited the Charleroi office Wednesday.

Miss Jessie Spidell left Thursday for her home at Bedford where she will visit. She was accompanied by her nephew who has been visiting here.

Mrs. H. E. Fuller and daughter Thelma left Thursday for Philadelphia, Atlantic City and other Eastern points where they will visit.

Laurie Gibson of Bentleyville was a caller in Charleroi Wednesday.

Miss Louise Miliken of Brownsville was in Charleroi Thursday coming to attend the Alpha Phi Beta dance.

James Wagner who has been attending State College is spending the summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wagner of McKean avenue.

Mrs. W. F. Schempp was the hostess to the Kensington fancy work club of the Christ Lutheran church at her home on McKean avenue Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Taylor and Roy S. Sharpnack of Rices Landing visited in Charleroi Wednesday evening.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Latchem of 721 McKean avenue a son.

Miss Elizabeth Henry of Fremont, Ohio, has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Mountser on Washington avenue.

Miss Margaret Jones of West Newton is a guest of Miss Mabel Gaut at the Hotel Walfred, having come to attend the Alpha Phi Beta dance at Eldora park.

Mrs. John O'Neil was a recent visitor in Monongahela.

Alexander B. Gray, district engineer for the State Highways department was here from Washington Wednesday night to attend the Alpha Phi Beta dance.

Miss Lura P. Wingett has gone to Canonsburg to be present at the Christian Endeavor county convention.

## WORK OF COWGIRLS IN BIG WILD WEST SHOW OF GREAT IMPORTANCE

While Jess Willard, the cowboy world's champion, puts a big "punch" into the performances of Miller Bros. & Arlington's 101 Ranch Wild West show, which comes to Charleroi Wednesday, June 16, the cowgirls constitute a very important part of the company of strenuous people who give vim to the exhibition.


The cowboys are usually associated in the public mind with the liveliest and most daring portions of the Wild West program. As a matter of fact, it is declared, there is scarcely anything in the way of rough riding accomplished by the most reckless cowpunchers that is not duplicated by the cowgirls in the show. The recklessness of the real cowgirl is proverbial, and instead of urging them to perform daredevil feats, the management, it is said, is constantly under the necessity of cautioning them against risking their lives and limbs.

In the 101 Ranch show the cowgirls are always very much in evidence. They participate in the exhilarating and dangerous round-up of wild steers, which is one of the distinctive features of the show, they ride wild steers as well as rope them, they accomplish wonderful feats in high-school horsemanship, and with it all they give a feminine touch to the performance that adds greatly to its attractiveness.

There are, it is announced, about fifty cowgirls with the 101 Ranch show, and their strenuous riding, their picturesque ranch attire and their all-round cleverness is said to add something to the show that would otherwise be signally missed.

The cowgirls, the cowboys, the Indians, the Mexicans and all the other ranch people will be seen in what is said to be the most exciting performance ever given in a Wild West arena, while the positive appearance of Jess Willard, the conqueror of Jack Johnson, as a real cowboy and later in ring costume with one of his sparring partners, when he will demonstrate just how he won the championship, will give a "go" to the performance.

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### TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF WASHINGTON COUNTY:

GENTLEMEN:—

Appreciating the complimentary Vote that I received at the primaries two years ago, I have decided to again be a candidate for nomination for the office of DIRECTOR OF THE POOR of Washington County on the Republican Ticket at the Primaries to be held on Tuesday, September 21st, 1915.

Your vote and support are earnestly solicited on exactly the same political platform as before.

I have always been a straight REPUBLICAN and never was affiliated with any other political party at any time.

I am in favor of employing UNION LABOR and the patronizing of WASHINGTON COUNTY INDUSTRIES, that is, in the purchasing of Furniture, Clothing, Dry Goods, Groceries and Produce for the use of our County Institutions, as we have all of them in Washington County, and they are all just as good, if not better than we could buy any where in the United States. (If the Poor Institutions of Washington County are solely for the use of the Washington County Poor, why go outside of the County to furnish them?)

Please keep in mind the fact that the laboring man has a direct interest in the Candidate for this office.

I have never held a County Office, if nominated and elected, I will try to the best of my ability to perform the duties of the office in a way that will be agreeable to the Taxpayers of Washington County, always watching their interests in the use of Public funds, and any assistance you will kindly give me during this campaign will be very thankfully received.

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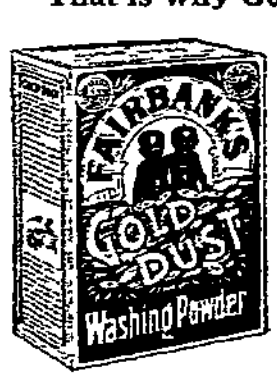
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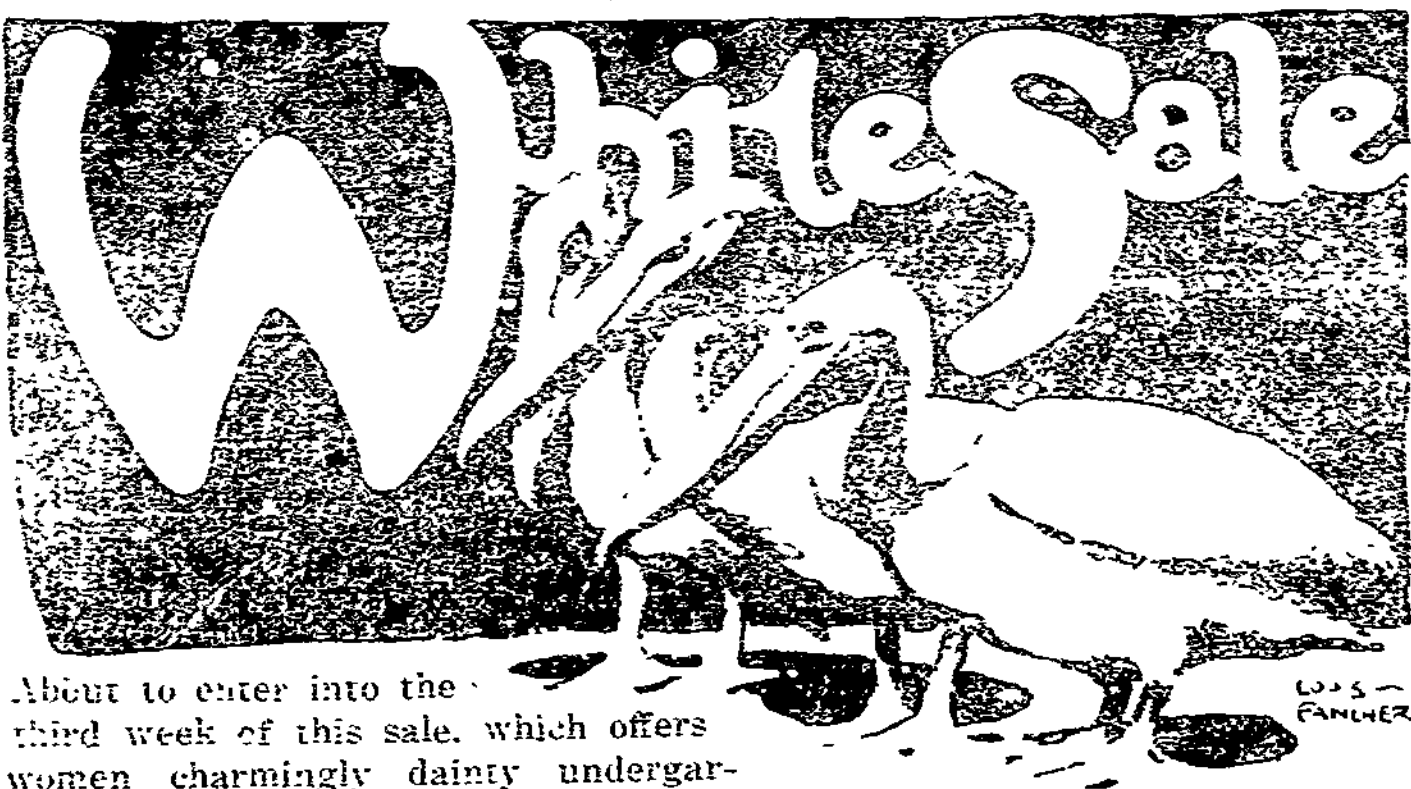
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THE DIAMOND BRAND  
Ladies' Aid Year Druggists for  
Chichester's Diamond Brand  
Pills is Red and gold seal  
boxed, sealed with the DIAMOND  
Take as often, Two or Four  
Druggists, ALL-DRUGGISTS  
DIAMOND BRAND PILLS for 25  
cents in each box. Always Reliable  
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

• Watch Your Children •  
Often children do not let parents know they are constipated. They fear something distasteful. They will like Rexall's—mild laxative that tastes like sugar. Sold only by us, 10 cents. Carrol's Drug Store.





About to enter into the third week of this sale, which offers women charmingly dainty undergarments for very special prices.

Materials, trimmings and styles which particular women appreciate. The values at the different prices are remarkable, because the garments are made with painstaking care and precision, and regard for the little things that are necessary to an exquisite garment.

If you have not written for our White Sale Booklet, it is not too late. But you must not put it off much longer. It is as pretty and dainty as its subject, we know you will like it.

Envelope Chemises, priced at 85c to \$4.50  
Gowns, different styles, at 50c to \$10.00.  
Petticoats, in the new styles, 50c to \$10.00.  
Corset Covers, priced at 25c to \$3.00  
Combination Garments, priced at \$1.00 to \$7.50.  
Crepe de Chine Garments also specially priced.

## JOSEPH HORNE CO.

THE TEST PLACE TO SHOP, AFTER ALL.

PITTSBURGH.

### We are now showing a nice line of Ladies' and Misses' White and Colored Dresses

Prices from  
**\$1.50 to \$5.50**

Come in and see them. We are sure you will want more than one for your summer outings

### EUGENE FAU

THE LADIES' STORE

514-516 Fallowfield Ave.,  
Charleroi, Pa.

### Don't Despise a Small Beginning

For the greatest enterprises of the age were mere saplings in the forest of commercialism a few years ago and the same careful attention and judicious economy in your domestic affairs will prove equally successful. A dollar deposited with this bank today and repeated every week for ten years will give the depositor a bank account of over \$600.00—and he can easily save this dollar from his weekly stipend without hardship.

4 per cent compound interest paid on savings accounts.

### Bank of Charleroi

Resources over \$1,700,000.00

FOR

### General Auto Package Delivery

CALL

152-X LOCAL PHONE OR 11

## ADVERTISE

## BENTLEYVILLE

The Thomas Hetherington and son of Marconahela are spending a time with relatives in Bentleyville.

Mrs. Samuel's sister of Ma. street has returned home after spending some time with friends and relatives in Pittsburg.

Maurice Kohler was a business caller in Charleroi Wednesday.

Mrs. Martha Miller of Pittsburg is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Mary Rogers of near town.

Mrs. J. W. Hards of the Dry-plate has returned home after a visit with relatives in Coal Centre.

William M. Greenlee of the Washington road was a recent business caller in Pittsburg.

William H. Hartman, the local postmaster has returned home after attending the Postmaster's Association of Western Pennsylvania's convention held in Washington Tuesday.

The Ne Plus Ultra bible class is planning to hold an ice cream and strawberry festival on the Presbyterian church lawn Tuesday, June 15.

W. H. Homer of the Richardson plan has returned home after a business trip to Belle Vernon.

Miss Hazel Horn of near Bealls-ville has returned home after a pleasant visit with friends in Washington.

### WORK OF COWGIRLS

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formance that no other Wild West exhibition has ever had.

There will be a big street parade at 10:30 on the morning of the show, in which Jos. C. Miller, White Chief of the Poncas; Chief Iron Tail, whose profile is on the new "buffalo" nickel and other 101 Ranch notables will appear.

## CLASSIFIED!

FOR SALE—Five room house between Crest and Meadow on Sixth street. Rents for \$15.00. Lot 31x80. Price \$1650. L. P. Flickinger, Jr., 307 Lincoln avenue. 2 Stiff

FOR SALE—Reasonable price, new house ready for occupancy June 15. All modern improvements. Located on Lincoln avenue near Fifth street. See E. J. Charles, manager Real Estate department, Charleroi Savings and Trust company. 283-4f

FOR SALE—Cheap, one Toledo computing scale and one Electric fan at Clark's Grocery, Fifth and Washington avenue. 288-4f

FOR SALE—Three fresh cows, call Ed. Bertouille, Lock 4 Hill, Highland avenue, Seventh street. 285-44p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 916 McKean avenue. 267-22p

FOUND—The place to get a home-site for your rent money is Wilson Heights. Auction lot sale all day next Saturday. Bridge 2 stop on trolley. 288-42

LOST—Bunch of keys on street car between Eldora Park and Fifth street. Finder return to Mail office. 287-42-p.

LOST—The opportunity of a lifetime, if you fail to secure some of the real estate bargains at Wilson Heights auction lot sale, all day next Saturday. Bridge 2 stop. 288-42

WANTED—75 House-Renters, to get homes for their families, at Wilson Heights auction lot sale, all day next Saturday Bridge 2 stop. 288-42

WANTED—100 working men to buy home-sites at Wilson Heights auction lot sale, next Saturday. Bridge 2 stop. 288-42

WANTED—Three wide-awake clerks for Wilson Heights auction lot sale, all day next Saturday. Apply at once in person to T. R. Winsheimer, 302 Fifth street. 288-4f

WANTED—A class of children for piano lessons. Lessons given in your home at 35 cents per lesson. Box 392 California, Pa. 287-42p

## MAHIEU'S SPECIALS

Fresh Country Butter, per lb. : 25c  
" " 4 lbs for : \$1.00  
Lemons, dozen : 15c  
Large Cucumbers, 3 for : 10c  
Sticky Fly Paper, 3 double sheets for : 5c  
Fly Swatters, leather bound, each : 5c  
Shinola Shoe Polish, 10c boxes, 4 for : 29c  
Root Beer, quart bottle : 5c  
Granulated Sugar, 25 lb. sack : \$1.60

Our dividend checks given with each purchase have a value of 5 per cent redeemable on demand at our store.

## AUG. MAHIEU

317 FIFTH STREET

Both Phones

SPECIAL DELIVERY OF ALL PHONE ORDERS

### ORDINANCE NO. 308

An ordinance authorizing the grading, paving with vitrified brick, and curbing with stone or concrete of Fifth street lying between Blythe alley and the west borough line and providing for the collection of two-thirds of the cost thereof from the owners of real estate abutting thereon.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Charleroi, Washington county, Pennsylvania and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same:

#### Section 1.

That the Burgess of the Borough of Charleroi be and is hereby authorized and instructed, as required by Ordinance No. 17, Section 5, and the several other proper Ordinances of the Borough, to advertise for and receive proposals for the grading, paving with vitrified brick and curbing with stone or concrete of all that portion of Fifth street, lying between Blythe Alley and the West Borough line, in said Borough, in accordance with plans and specifications of the Borough Engineer, approved by the Burgess and Town Council as provided by the several Acts of Assembly.

#### Section 2.

The said Burgess is further authorized to enter into a contract or contracts, in conjunction with said Town Council, with any responsible party, parties, corporation or corporations, such being the lowest and best bidder or bidders for said grading, paving and curbing said party, parties, corporation or corporations to give bond in the sum of ..... Dollars, with surety to be approved by said Burgess and Town Council, to do said grading, paving and curbing, including the furnishing of material in strict conformity to and with said plans and specifications of said Borough Engineer and under his direction and supervision.

#### Section 3.

Upon the completion of said grading, paving and curbing, two-thirds of the costs and expense thereof shall be assessed and collected from the owners of the real estate bounding and abutting thereon by an equal assessment of the feet frontage bounding or abutting as aforesaid, as provided by the Act of Assembly, approved May 12th, 1911, P. L. 288, and the other several laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Ordinances of said Borough; said assessment to be estimated by the Borough Engineer.

Ordained and enacted into an ordinance this ..... day of, 1915.

President of Council.

Clerk.

Examined and approved by me this ..... day of ..... 1915.

Chief Burgess.

Attest:

Clerk.

Notice.

Any and all objections to the above ordinance and the proposition therein contained may be made to the Borough Council at a meeting to be held in the Borough Building at 8 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, July 6 1915.

Ira L. Nickeson,  
Borough Clerk.

### ORDINANCE NO. 308

An ordinance levying the annual taxes for the year 1915 in the Borough of Charleroi, for general Borough purposes, and for the purpose of taking care of the bonded debt of the Borough, including redemptions, interest, state taxes and sinking fund requirements for said year.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Charleroi, Washington county, Pennsylvania and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same:

#### Section 1.

That an annual tax is hereby levied for general purposes, equal to 5 3-5 mills on the dollar, on the valuation assessed for County purposes, on all property, offices, professions and persons made taxable by laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

#### Section 2.

That an annual tax is hereby levied for the purpose of providing for the bonded debt of the Borough, including redemptions, interest, state taxes and sinking fund requirements, equal to 5 2-5 mills on the dollar, on the valuation assessed for County purposes, on all property, offices, professions and persons.

Ordained and enacted into an ordinance this 1st day of June, 1915.

D. R. Duval,

President of Council

Attest:

Ira L. Nickeson,

Clerk.

Examined and approved by me this 2nd day of June, 1915.

S. L. Woodward,

Chief Burgess.

Attest:

Ira L. Nickeson,

Clerk.

## Advertis

For Dandruff, we recommend

### Rexall

"93" Hair Tonic

Carroll's Drug Store.

### Wind-Storm

Government reports show that heavy loss from wind-storms occurs in all parts of the country and during any month of the year. A wind-storm may cost the savings of a lifetime, unless appropriate insurance be carried. This is important alike to owners, mortgagees, trustees, executors and guardians.

We furnish protection at low rate of premium as follows:

Dwelling and contents 10c per \$100 for 1 year.  
Stables (private) 10c per \$100 for 1 year.  
Churches (with steeples) 20c per \$100 for one year.  
Churches (without steeples) 10c per \$100 for 1 year.  
Mercantile and other substantial buildings, 10c per \$100 for 1 year.

SEE

FRED W. BRADY

502 FALLOWFIELD AVE.

Bell Phone 109-M



# This Is The Millinery Store Supreme

Supreme in Style—Supreme in Variety—Supreme in Value

We offer for this special sale over 100 Trimmed Hats. They embrace the newest styles and shapes of the season. If you want style and assortment you must come to this Big Millinery Store. The prices range easily within the limits of your purse; but for this special sale we make you special hat prices that should interest you. Right now is your buying time.

## At \$1.95

Handsome Small Hats—In this lot we offer you an assortment of styles and colors, and well worth up to \$4.00.

## At \$3.45

Special Value—This is our special that you will greatly admire for all these hats are very pretty and the big selling shapes.

## At \$4.95

Beautiful Hats—This lot is made up mostly from our \$7.50 hats; they are very pretty and this cut is for this sale only.



## A FEW OF THE MANY SPECIALS IN OTHER DEPARTMENTS

Lack of room necessitates the picking at random of special priced articles through the various departments of the store. Hundreds of special values await you. It's worth your while to see for yourself—others are saving, why not you?

### Vudor Hammocks

Vudor Re-enforced Hammocks are the best made. Every part put on under tension so that every cord carries its share. Every Vudor Hammock in our store, ranging from \$1.75 to \$5.00 must go at 20 per cent off regular prices.

Lace and ribbon trimmed corset covers 17c  
Embroidery and lace trimmed gowns 39c  
One lot of crepe gowns 39c  
5 dozen muslin undershirts, special 29c  
2 dozen embroidery trimmed slipover gowns, each 59c

Corset cover embroidery, yd. 21c  
A few pieces 32 inch dress ginghams at per yard 11c  
Red table damask, yd. 29c  
Drawn work and Battenburg center pieces 89c  
One lot stamped cushions 17c

2 pieces white suiting special yd. 34c  
One lot 12 1/2c dress ginghams, plaids, plain and striped, yd. 9c  
2 pieces curtain swiss, colored borders 19c

### Vudor Poch Shades

The best that man can make—the cheapest that you can buy, for you get years of service from Vudors. Fast colors, non-breakable slats. Sizes 4 feet, 6 feet, 8 feet, 10 feet and 12 feet. The various sizes priced at \$2.25 to \$7.50.

Special sizes to order.

Crepe and silk ratine, colors navy, brown, white and grey, special sale price, per yard 38c  
2 pieces shepherd checks, yd. 33c  
44 in. embroidery crepe for waists and dresses, yd. 59c

One lot 25c fancy Ribbon 15c yd.

Extra good value Tooth Brushes 9c each.


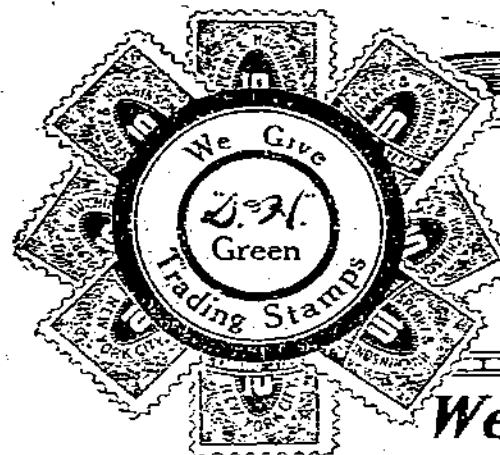
Ladies' Black Hose 35c grade, 27c pair.

W. B. Corsets 1915 special—\$1.00 grade, on sale 79c.

Japanese Waste Baskets 50c each.

Pretty oak, mahogany and rosewood Serving Trays with glass covered bottom 95c each.

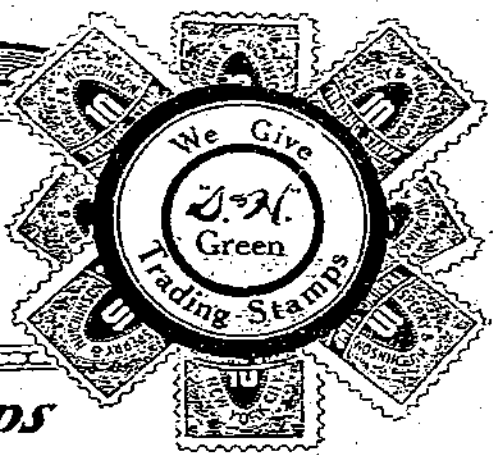

One special lot of Ladies Gauze Vests, sizes 4 and 5, a special purchase—extra value at 9c each. Nail Brushes 10c each. Ladies' 15c Linen Handkerchiefs 11c. Japanese Baskets splendid imitations of high priced baskets 10c each. Oval Picture Frames, gilt finish, clear glass 25c. Ladies' 75c Initial Handkerchiefs 41c each. Velvet Belts extra value, all colors 19c.

## BERRYMAN'S

### CHARLEROI'S LIVE STORE

*We Give D.M. Green Trading Stamps*



Picture of the Great European War  
Will Be Shown at the  
**LYRIC THEATRE, SATURDAY, JUNE 12**

All the Great Rulers, the Warring Nations Battleship—showing the war in the air and war on the land. Actual War Picture will be shown at the Lyric on June 12th

## NORTH CHARLEROI

Mrs. Charles Cotton and baby are visiting relatives at Fair Hope.

Mrs. A. P. Culp and Miss Blanche Cratty were recent callers in Elizabethtown.

Miss Eleanor Stark returned to her home in Belle Vernon after spending a few days with Miss Elizabeth Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McVey returned home Monday after spending a few days with relatives at Greensboro.

Mrs. Vin Gallatin of Donora was visiting Mrs. Albert Eymann Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Whigham and son Robert spent Wednesday at California.

F. C. Phillips was a caller in Pittsburgh Tuesday on business.

Miss Hattie Colvin of Maple Creek is the guest of Miss Lulu Buffle.

Mrs. Henry Sadelle is visiting friends and relatives in Connellsville.

Mrs. A. F. McGowan spent Tuesday in Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hagerty of Dravosburg spent Wednesday with

the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hagerty.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cope and children, Walter, William and Elizabeth spent Wednesday evening with relatives in Brownsville.

Misses Harriet Kennedy of Pricedale and Rose Collart of Belle Vernon were recent guests of the latter's sister Mrs. J. B. Phillips.

Mrs. W. P. Hagerty was recently visiting relatives in Dravosburg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Phillips and son Jack were recent callers in Monessen.

Master Jack Worth returned to his home in McKeesport after spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wernke.

## EIGHTH STREETS BEAT NINTH STREET TEAM

The Eighth street A. C. baseball team Wednesday defeated the Ninth streeters in a well played game, 5 to 2. Batteries for Eighth street were Flood and Myers, for Ninth streets, Pinfold and Cortena. Score by innings:

Eighth Streets 1 0 0 1 1 0 2 0 x—5  
Ninth Streets 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—2  
Umpires—Jennings and Rigby.

## Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received by Thomas M. Faddis, Secretary of the Board of Education of Charleroi, Pa., up until noon on Tuesday, June 22, 1915 for the erection of alterations and additions to the Charleroi High school building. Plans and specifications for the work can be secured from Andrew P. Cooper, architect, 704 First National Bank building, Uniontown, Pa. A certified check for \$500.00 must accompany the bid.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
The School District of Charleroi, Pa.  
W. D. Pollock, Pres.  
Thomas M. Faddis, Secy.  
Andrew P. Cooper, Architect.

287-t3

## For Sale.

New frame house on paved street. Six rooms and bath. Grained throughout, cement cellar, hot air furnace. This property will stand close inspection. Price reasonable, easy terms. See Walter Byerly at Charleroi Lumber company, or 518 Washington avenue.  
240-1f

# WANTED—50 == GIRLS == 50 To SELL FLOWERS

## On the Street SATURDAY for Benefit of BELGIAN RELIEF FUND

Send your name to or see the following members of the committee: S. L. Woodward, Chairman; K. W. Daly, R. H. Rush, E. W. Hastings or leave your name at Mail Office.